Former Fed Sues FBI

A former FBI agent who now writes for a living has sued his former employer for $11 million, alleging that the agency "conspired to prevent him from pursuing his new livelihood as a journalist and author."

William Turner, a 10-year veteran of the FBI who quit the agency in 1961, filed the lawsuit last week. In it he says the FBI has harassed him personally, tapped his phone, bugged his office, run illegal audits of his income taxes and attempted to blacklist him with various magazines and publishing houses.

Turner is the author of several books and magazine articles critical of the FBI.

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